IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Patent Application of Atty . 2018-787 Dkt. AUG 2 3 2006 C# M# TC/A.U. 3747 OKADA et al Serial No. 10/678,098 Examiner: Miller, Carl Stuart Date: August 23, 2006 October 6, 2003 Filed: FUEL FEED APPARATUS HAVING CONDUCTIVE MEMBERS GROUNDED EACH Title: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. □ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment 37 minus highest number previously paid for 29 (at least 20) = x \$50.00 \$400.00 (1202)/\$200.00 (2202) \$ 400.00 10 minus highest number Independent claims after amendment \$1000.00 (1201)/\$500.00 (2201) \$ 1000.00 previously paid for 5 x \$200.00 **5** . (at least 3) =If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) paper and attachment(s) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) Five Month Extensions \$2160.00 (1255/\$1080.00 (2255) \$ \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$ Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$180.00 (1806) 0.00 Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee 0.00 \$40.00 (8021) Assignment Recording Fee 0.00 Other: **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$ 1400.00** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached. 901 North Glebe Road, 11th Floor NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

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## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Responsive to the Official Action dated May 24, 2006, kindly enter the following amendment and remarks.

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